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In re the Application of: **MIWA, Takeya**

Group Art Unit: 2839

Serial No.: 09/973,463

Examiner: **Chandrika PRASAD**

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For. **AN ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR AND TERMINAL CONNECTED VIA A
FLEXIBLE CONNECTION**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Date: September 3, 2003

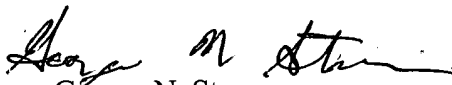
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2003 for two month from July 4, 2003 to September 4, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$1,160.00 (\$410.00 to cover the cost of the extension and \$750.00 for Request for Continued Prosecution) for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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